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KNUDSEN et al

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination upon the merits, kindly amend
as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please add the following new claim:

67. (Amended) The construct according to 27, wherein the
signal moiety comprises (6-bromoacetyl-2-
dimethylaminonaphthalene) BADAN.

Please amend claims 32, 46, 55, 57, and 65 as follows:

32. (Amended) The construct according to claim 31, wherein the
second signal moiety is selected from the group consisting of
acrylodan; 5-dimethylaminonaphthalene-1-sulfonyl aziridine
(danzyl aziridine); 4-[N-[2-iodoacetoxy)ethyl]-N-methylamino]-
7-nitrobenz-2-oxa 1,3 diazole ester (IANBDE); 4-[N-[2-

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